

IN THE  
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): Bash et al.

Confirmation No.: 2490

Application No.: 10/022,112

Examiner: THOMPSON, Gregory

Filing Date: Dec. 14, 2001

Group Art Unit: 2835

Title: THERMAL CONNECTION LAYER

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment ( ) Petition to extend time to respond  
( ) New fee as calculated below ( ) Supplemental Declaration  
(X) No additional fee (Address envelope to "Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment")  
( ) Other: (fee \$ )

CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	33	MINUS	45	= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	6	= 0	X \$86	\$ 0
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$290	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$420.00	3RD MONTH \$950.00	4TH MONTH \$1480.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

Charge \$ 0 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

Bash et al.

By 

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Date: Nov. 6, 2003



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Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT, AND  
RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 9, 2003 ("the Office Action"), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** including Response to Election of Species Requirement begins on page 8 of this paper.

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